



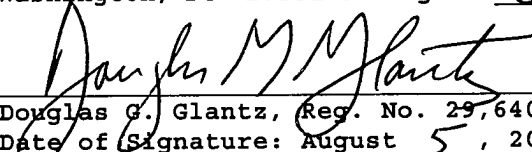
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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Serial No.: 10/010,251) Group Art Unit: 1731
Filed: November 8, 2001) Examiner: Mark Halpern
Applicant: Wilhelm, Lee) Attorney Docket No.: 13929.1
For: Paper Tissue Having)
Enhanced Softness)

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Sir:

AMENDMENT

Please enter the following Amendment in response to the latest Office Action, Paper No. 4, mailed May 14, 2002 in the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the Claims as follows:

8. (Amended) An embossing roll for treating a paper product, comprising:

an embossing roll having a roughened surface in the form of protuberances or depressions sized such that a percentage of fiber-to-fiber bonds broken in a center 0.02mm thickness of a paper sheet is less than a percentage of the fiber-to-fiber bonds broken within 0.02mm of a paper surface of a said paper sheet,

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